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Tracking Multiple Objects in
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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

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FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))			
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	18	minus 20 =	*
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	minus 3 =	*
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))			

SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE
	\$ 395
x 9 =	
x 44 =	
+ 150 =	
TOTAL	

OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE
	\$ 790
x 18 =	
x 88 =	
+ 300 =	
TOTAL	

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

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Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	18	Minus	20
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	Minus	3
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))			

SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 9 =	
x 44 =	
+ 150 =	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 18 =	
x 88 =	
+ 300 =	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

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AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	*	Minus	**
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	*	Minus	***
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))			

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 9 =	
x 44 =	
+ 150 =	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

OR

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 18 =	
x 88 =	
+ 300 =	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

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Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	*	Minus	***
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))			

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 9 =	
x 44 =	
+ 150 =	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

OR

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 18 =	
x 88 =	
+ 300 =	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

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